Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 05 Mar 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 06 Mar 2022

Forecast Issued on Saturday 05 Mar 2022 at 00:07

Confidence: High for mainly dry conditions and strengthening winds next week. Medium for cloud details.

Headline for Saturday 05 Mar 2022: Mainly dry and bright with sunny spells. Cold north or northeast winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 05 Mar 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny	Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
20%	10%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: Patchy summit cloud and the odd wintry shower possible at first, along with localised mist in the valleys around dawn. The mist and most of the cloud will clear this morning, therefore becoming sunny for most places. It will feel very cold in the brisk north or northeasterly winds at height. Dry this evening, but with areas of cloud arriving, mainly across eastern areas.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% increasing 90% this morning.

Low Cloud and visibility: Areas of cloud above 800m this morning, and again this evening across eastern areas. Very poor visibility with hill fog, and poor with early valley mist and perhaps with any early showers, with only nearby tracts of land visible. Otherwise generally very good or excellent visibility, with distant hills clearly seen.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	20/23 N	22/28 NE	23/30 N	24/31 N	27/34 N	26/33 NE	27/34 NE
600	13/18 N	15/20 N	19/25 N	21/28 N	18/24 N	18/26 NE	17/24 NE
300	9/17 N	11/18 N	14/23 N	15/25 N	11/21 N	12/24 NE	11/22 NE
Valley	9/17 N	11/18 N	14/23 N	15/25 N	11/22 N	12/24 NE	11/22 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	-1/-8	-2/-9	-1/-9	-1/-9	-2/-10	-2/-10	-2/-11
600	1/-4	1/-5	2/-4	1/-5	1/-5	1/-5	-0/-6
300	3/-0	4/-0	4/-0	4/-0	3/-0	3/-1	2/-2
Valley	4/1	5/1	6/2	6/1	5/1	4/0	4/-0
Freezing Level*	700m	600m	500m	500m	600m	500m	500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Cold winds and a significant wind chill at height.

Forecast for Sunday 06 Mar 2022

Weather: Some clear spells, especially across western areas, with also early mist and freezing fog patches possible in the valleys. Eastern areas are may be cloudier. Otherwise a dry and bright day with sunny spells, although more in the way of cloud in the afternoon. Cold easterly winds. Frost early and later in the day.

Maximum wind: East 15 to 20mph gusting 30mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% across eastern areas at first, then becoming 90% everywhere.

Low Cloud and visibility: Patchy cloud is likely across eastern areas at first, above 800m. Otherwise no significant cloud expected. Visibility mainly very good apart from any early mist and freezing fog, and also hill fog.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Minus 1 Celsius rising to plus 8 Celsius early afternoon.
At 800m: Minus 2 Celsius temporarily rising to plus 1 Celsius early afternoon.
Freezing level: Rising to near the summits early afternoon, but most levels early and later in the day.

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